



## **DELAWARE COMMISSION OF VETERANS AFFAIRS**

### **MEETING AGENDA OCTOBER 16, 2018**

**MEMBER(S) EXCUSED: Bradley, Newstadt**

**REMINDER TO SILENCE / TURN OFF ELECTRONIC DEVICES:**

**PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE:**

**MOMENT OF SILENCE:**

**CHAIRMAN'S REMARKS:**

**APPROVAL OF PREVIOUS MINUTES:**

**AGENCY REMARKS:**

**Ginny Yelland, Director Wilmington VAMC**

**Bill Peterson, Administrator, DVH**

**Jessica Finan, Executive Director, Home of the Brave**

**PUBLIC COMMENTS:**

**Nakiesha Dickerson, Volunteer Coordinator, Heartland Hospice**

#### **COMMITTEE REPORTS:**

**BEAR CEMETERY (Armbruster)**

**Interments – 54**

**MILLSBORO CEMETERY (Bradley)**

**Interments – 22**

**HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES (Sarg)**

**LEGISLATIVE AFFAIRS (McMullen)**

**EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR'S COMMENTS:**

**DVTF Previous Month: Applications 8; Granted 6 (75%); Awarded \$4,476.10;**

**Balance - \$55,565.00**

**Agency Advertisement**

**Promoting Agency Services**

**Operational Excellence Award – Bear Cemetery, 23 October / 1415**

## **ORGANIZATIONAL REPORTS:**

**Air Force Sergeants Association (AFSA)**  
**American Legion (AL)**  
**American Veterans (AMVETS)**  
**Disabled American Veterans (DAV)**  
**Korean War Veterans Association (KWVA)**  
**Marine Corps League (MCL)**  
**Military Officers Association of America (MOAA)**  
**Military Order of the Purple Heart (MOPH)**  
**Veterans of Foreign Wars (VFW)**  
**Vietnam Veterans of America (VVA)**  
**At Large**  
**- Showell**  
**- Newstadt**  
**- Seppala**  
**- Lopez**  
**- Stewart**

## **TERM COMPLETION:**

## **EVENTS:**

**18 Oct / 0830: Delaware Joining Forces, Adams State Service Center, Georgetown**  
**20 Oct / 0800 – 1200: Retiree Appreciation Day, The Landings Club, Dover AFB**  
**23 Oct / 1415: Operational Excellence Award, Bear Veterans Cemetery**  
**3 Nov/ 1000: Veterans Parade, Loockerman Street, Dover**  
**3 Nov / 1200: Womens Veterans Memorial Dedication, Legislative Hall**  
**11 Nov / 1030: Veterans Day Ceremony, Delaware Memorial Bridge Park**  
**11 Nov / 1230: Gold Star Families Monument Dedication, Delaware Memorial Bridge Park**

## **UNFINISHED BUSINESS:**

## **NEW BUSINESS**

**By-Laws Review Committee Selection**

## **ITEMS FOR THE GOOD AND WELFARE OF THE ORGANIZATION:**

## **SPECIAL PRESENTATION:**

**NEXT MEETING: Tuesday, 20 November 2018 / 1000 / Delaware Commission of Veterans Affairs**

**PURSUANT TO 29 DEL. § 10004(b), THE DELAWARE COMMISSION OF VETERANS AFFAIRS MAY MOVE INTO EXECUTIVE SESSION TO DISCUSS MATTERS WHICH MAY ARISE AT THE TIME OF THE PUBLIC BODY'S MEETING IN ACCORDANCE WITH 29 DEL., § 10004(c)(2).**